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Applicant(s): Howard Lindsay

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Honorable Commissioner:

This response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of NonProvisional Application - Filing Date Granted mailed August 09, 2001.

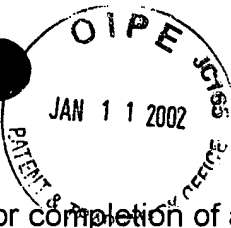
Enclosed herewith for filing are the following:

A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of NonProvisional Application - Filing Date Granted. **(REQUIRED)**;

Declaration and Power of Attorney; and

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Serial No. 09/893,391
Docket No. 40655.6400

The amount due for completion of application are noted below:


Recordation Fee for Assignment	\$40.00
Surcharge for late filed Declaration	\$65.00
Total completion of application fees	\$105.00
Total fees due	\$105.00

The fee of \$170.00 is to be paid as follows:

- X A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **19-2814**
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- X If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **19-2814**
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Respectfully submitted,

Dated: October 23, 2001



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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